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BOYS AND GIRLS RAISE PIGS

Sonoma Valley Schools Aim To Increase Pork Production For Uncle Sam

Sonoma Valley is making a fine showing in its start to help along the increased pork production campaign, for the Pig Clubs of both high school and elementary schools include the names of both girls and boys who are raising pigs to help Uncle Sam along the line of increased food production. Under the efficient guidance of Prof. Cole of the agricultural department of the high school, the young pigs are making a remarkable growth and give promise of a substantial profit to each student. Scientific care and feeding are being closely adhered to by the young farmers of the various districts.

The Pig Club members as announced by Prof. Cole to date are as follows:

SONOMA HIGH SCHOOL

Ernest Baneroff, LeRoy Barr, Zolita Bates, Meryl Bish, Eli Boch, George Cooper, Frank Cornwall, Roy Crane, Louise Forni, Elwood Franklin, Mildred Russell, Wesley Trudgen, Lester Hawkins. Each of the above has two pigs.

SAN LUIS SCHOOL

Marie Ciampi, Italo Ciampi, Renato Ciampi, Robert Cordill, Charles Cordill, Crawford Cordill, Darrell Cassidy, George Keiser, Stanley McGill, C. R. Potter, Evelyn Steiger, Theo Stone, Nevada Schell, Everette Schumacher, George Silva, Inez Semino.

HUICHICA SCHOOL

Teddy Anthonien, Emily Batto, Fred Batto, Harry Cordell, Herschel Hyde, Louie Roeder, Kenneth Roeder.

DUNBAR SCHOOL

Bessie Walker.

EL VERNANO SCHOOL

Harry Burnester, John Clements, Max Rabinowitz, Willie Dowdall, Henry Locarnini, Chester Weaver, Harold Ellis.

GLEN ELLEN SCHOOL

Elliot Brown, Edward Roake, Beverly Brown, Leslie Bowen, Glen Roake.

FLOWERY SCHOOL

Marie Canobbio, Florence Johnson, Pasquale Seaffani, Virginia Rigusci, Jim Alekstantapace.

The elementary school club members each have one pig. The pigs all averaged about six weeks' old at the start.

E. Riccardi arrested in Oregon is thought to be insane, so sheriff of Roseburg wires.

WEISE'S SON CALLED TO NAVY

Harold Weise Leaves For San Pedro Day After Graduation

Supervisor Harry Weise and wife went down to Berkeley Wednesday where they witnessed the graduation of their son, Harold, who has been a student of law at the U. C. for the past four years and prominent in student dramatics.

On the following day young Weise, who enlisted some time ago in the navy, was called for service and left for San Pedro to report for duty. He departed Thursday at noon.

Harold Weise is a very popular young man and carries with him the best wishes of a host of friends.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation for the kind words of sympathy and condolence offered us in the loss of our dear little one and also to thank all those who sent beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Shaw
Mrs. M. Shaw and family
T. J. McGimsey and family

ATTEND LODGE AFFAIR AT VALLEJO

Mrs. E. E. Bennett, Mrs. Jessen, Mr. and Mrs. Langrebe and Mrs. Burmester went to Vallejo last Saturday night where they attended a fine affair given by the two Eastern Star Chapters of that city. Both chapters united and put on their work together which the grand officers highly complimented. It was an impressive ceremonial, the officers of both chapters being on the floor at the same time and the marching and other features being beautifully executed by both teams.

The affair took place in the new hall of the Order and a large number of members and visitors were in attendance.

The decorations used were war emblems and simplicity in the banquet which followed carried out the wartime spirit of conserving. Withal the evening was a memorable one and made a profound impression upon those who attended from here and enjoyed the splendid work of Vallejo's two chapters.

Mrs. Burmester motored to Vallejo for the occasion having as her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Langrebe of Eldridge.

Mesdames Bennett and Jessen went via the Southern Pacific.

GARDEN FETE FOR RED CROSS

Program of Much Interest Being Arranged For Big Benefit Afternoon

Everyone is invited to join in the festivities planned for the benefit of the Red Cross, Saturday afternoon, June 1, which is the date of a novel garden party to be given at the Michelsson-Chase gardens. The ladies in charge of the affair are planning a delightful afternoon with two program offerings, one early in the day and the other at tea time.

There will be games and contests for the children, music by the high school glee club, prizes for kiddies and grownups and fortune telling. The refreshment tables will provide dainty eats at moderate prices, the Junior Red Cross girls serving punch and selling home made candy. Card tables may be reserved by parties of four, the price of \$1 assuring a handsome prize at each table. Reservations may be made by phoning Mrs. Ralph Hotz.

Mesdames Michelsson and Chase with a bevy of assistants will be most charming hostesses and sociability will be the watchword of the day for the noble cause.

GIL HALL AT WAR RALLY

Well Known Petaluma Man Speaks Tonight at Tule Vista School

The following program for the war rally and graduation exercises will be carried out at Tule Vista School tonight. The speaker on war topics will be Gil P. Hall of Petaluma.

PROGRAM 8:15

- (1) Piano Solo . . . Ruth Dallmann
 - (2) "Star Spangled Banner" . . . Audience
 - (3) Recitation, "A Song of Our Flag" . . . Leslie Carseadden
 - (4) Four Minute Thrift Talk Contest . . . Edith Carseadden, Frances Thompson, Rosie Arreola, Frank Richardson
 - (5) Grandma's Knitting Song . . . Elizabeth Arreola
 - (6) Recitation, "Our Flag" . . . Lory Carseadden
 - (7) The Red Cross . . . Mrs. Duhring
 - (8) Song, "The Flag" . . . Elizabeth Arreola, Lory Carseadden, Guadalupe Arreola
 - (9) Presentation of Diplomas . . . A. L. Beard
 - (10) Address . . . Gil P. Hall
 - (11) "America" . . . Audience
- Miss Hazel White of Oakland will also sing several of the late war songs.

FINE CROP OF GRAPES EXPECTED AT GOLDSTEIN RANCH

The Mt. Pisgah Vineyard, otherwise known as the Goldstein ranch, was never looking better than it is at the present time. Under the able management of Mr. Theo. Blanckenberg the place is in a high state of cultivation and the two hundred or more acres of vineyards give promise of a fine yield this season.

The ranch is a model one in every respect and both Mr. and Mrs. Blanckenberg pride themselves on the condition of every inch of the land including the beautiful garden of roses and orange blossoms which surround the house and the war garden where fine vegetables are grown for the twenty or more employees.

Mrs. Blanckenberg does all the cooking herself including the bread making and strictly observes the war time requirements. Her table will no doubt assure the ranch a full quota of labor this season for the men speak highly of their treatment.

The bunches of grapes have already begun to form on the vines and some of them are wonderful specimens. Thousands of gallons of wine are made on this place each season and Mr. Blanckenberg's first vintage here will no doubt be an exceptional one for he is a scientific wine maker and traveled and studied extensively in Europe along viticultural lines.

John F. Picetti, representing DeMattei & Co., commission merchants of San Francisco, was through Sonoma county this week buying cherries for his firm. He will buy other fruits in season.

Marco Gilmacher passed away in San Francisco Saturday after lingering illness. He leaves a mother and brother who reside on a ranch in this valley.

District Deputy Veda Vollers reviewed the work of the Native Daughters and was accompanied here by a number of members from San Rafael last Monday.

A party of friends and employees of J. Vella chivariated him and his bride Tuesday evening. The merry-makers were given a royal welcome and treated to a fine spread by the genial proprietor of the Mission Creamery and his pretty young wife.

COMMITTEES FOR WAR WORK

Community Council Names Those Who Are to Carry On Important Work

The Community Council's executive committee held a meeting Monday night and Chairman R. P. Hill received the endorsement of his colleagues on the names of the following for the several important committees which are to be active in the valley:

LOYALTY. Messrs Tom Baines, J. F. Prestwood, Wm. Clewe, J. F. Tate and Dr. I. C. Gobar.
RED CROSS. Mrs. F. T. Duhring.
PUBLIC MEETING. F. T. Duhring.
REGISTRATION. Messrs L. H. Green, Ralph Murphy and Dr. I. C. Gobar.

SONOMA APPLE MEN ARE NOW ORGANIZED

There was an enthusiastic meeting of the apple men of Sonoma Valley last week at which organization was perfected and the apple packing plant launched with a capitalization of \$25,000, \$400 of which was actually subscribed.

The directors chosen were Henry Hyde, president, Geo. Cassidy, Edgar Clements, R. Watt and Geo. Lowell. Through the courtesy of Batto & Sons the packing this season will be carried on at Batts Spur.

DANCE AND PROGRAM

Next Friday night at the Womans Clubhouse there will be a novelty dance with program features. The music will be an innovation and is referred to as war music. There will be a punch bowl and good eats. The vander-ville between dances will introduce some new artists besides popular favorites.

It is for the benefit of the clubhouse. Tickets, 25 cents.
The Native Daughters of Sonoma purchased a \$50 Liberty Bond.

WEDDING BELLS RANG OUT

Miss Myrtle Thomas Becomes Bride of Wm. Helberg Jr., Wednesday at Santa Rosa

At a simple but impressive ceremony in the parsonage of the Methodist church in Santa Rosa on Wednesday, Wm. Helberg Jr., of Schellville claimed for his bride, Miss Myrtle Thomas, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Thomas of this place. There were no attendants other than the immediate relatives of bride and groom—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helberg, parents of the groom, Mrs. R. B. Thomas, mother of the bride and Mrs. George Campbell of San Jose, and to the several sisters and brothers but they were inconsolable not knowing the cause of her demise nor having any knowledge of how the end came.

She must have been stricken shortly after arriving at the port of embarkation for they had not yet journeyed to their destination nor taken up their missionary work.

Emma Campbell Cozzens was a beautiful character of true Christian graces and from her school days here was beloved by a large circle of friends. She was born in Cayucos, San Luis Obispo county, February 21, 1886 but came here to live when but eight years of age. She was always prominent in the Sunday school and church work and was a bright student of the local high school from which she graduated in 1904.

Later she moved to San Jose with her parents and there entered actively in the church work of the Presbyterian church. It was in San Jose that she met and married Edwin Cozzens, office secretary of the San Jose Y. M. C. A., on the 14th of May, 1914.

They left almost at once for Elat, West Africa, to carry the message of Christianity into that far away country and there they remained for two years doing missionary work.

After a time they were granted a furlough of one year and returned to California where they visited relatives and friends. This was last year and except for a slight nervous trouble, Mrs. Cozzens seemed in the best of health. She and her husband were in Sonoma part of the time visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Thompson, and while here told of their missionary work at a special evening arranged in their honor by the Congregational church. Their experiences excited the admiration of all their listeners and their quiet heroism was much praised. After leaving here Mr. and Mrs. Cozzens did some missionary work in the Northwest while awaiting their passports to return to Africa. They finally sailed for Duala last February to resume their duties.

Mrs. Cozzens death is doubly sad since she is the second daughter lost by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Campbell within a short time, her sister Mrs. Charles Potter having passed away last Fall.

Besides her husband and grief stricken parents, deceased leaves

SONOMA GIRL DIED IN AFRICA

Sad Message of Passing of Emma Campbell Cozzens Comes By Cablegram to Family Here

Just five days after receiving word that Mrs. Edwin Cozzens had arrived safely in Africa with her husband, came a second cablegram to her folks here announcing that Mrs. Cozzens had died. The sad news following so close upon the joy of the safe arrival of the travelers after a perilous voyage of several months to the far away shores, plunged the family into profound grief. Not only was the news the greatest shock to the parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell of San Jose, and to the several sisters and brothers but they were inconsolable not knowing the cause of her demise nor having any knowledge of how the end came.

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SAD FUNERAL OF IDOLIZED CHILD

Little Margaret Shaw's Remains Brought Here From Corcoran For Interment

One of the saddest funerals in years took place here last Sunday when Margaret, the little ten year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shaw was laid to rest in Sonoma's Mountain Cemetery. The arrival Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Shaw from Corcoran bringing back to Sonoma the body of their idolized child who had died of a complication of diseases following the measles, was indeed a sad home coming.

Margaret was born here and many were the friends and dear ones who had known her up through her babyhood days and on into the years when she became a bright, pretty school girl. She was studious and beloved by her schoolmates and her love for piano and lessons which were bestowed upon her by her fond parents. But into the happy household of which Margaret was the joyous sunshine, the dread measles, whooping cough and pneumonia found their way and the little victim, despite a brave fight and much suffering, finally succumbed to the fatal complication. The soft brown eyes quietly closed in sleep eternal last Wednesday morning and the spirit of one beloved by all left the frail form to seek abode in the Great Beyond.

The community where the Shaws have resided for some time past was saddened beyond description when the news became generally known and the most beautiful flowers accompanied the little girl's remains here.

Upon arrival in Sonoma, the funeral party went to the McGimsey home where on a white satin and chiffon couch-casket the fair still form rested amid the most beautiful blossoms of Springtime.

At 1:30 on Sunday after appropriate services the funeral cortege wended its way to the cemetery where in the family plot all that was mortal of the little girl was consigned to eternal rest, her grave strewn with lovely flowers, and prayers on the lips of all for her resurrection within those bright and beautiful portals across the Great Divide.

A happy occasion was the family reunion at the home of Mrs. Estes-Thompson when the birthday of the pioneer mother and her little five year old granddaughter, Florence Robin, were jointly celebrated. Both were in receipt of beautiful gifts and relatives from out of town came for the joyous event. Fred Estes just returned from Manila and his wife came up from Monterey and joined him here. There was a big dinner party and an altogether happy time.

four brothers and her sister, Mrs. Thompson of this valley to mourn her passing. The brothers are Walter Campbell of Bakersfield, William Campbell of Lost Hills, George and Purdy Campbell of San Jose.

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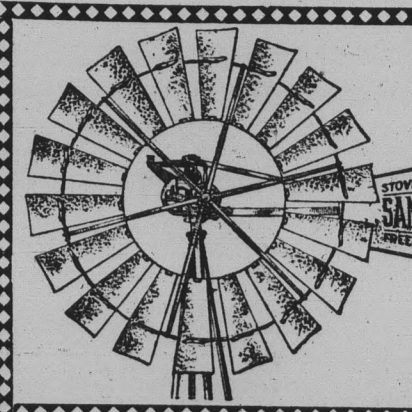
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No Congresswoman For This District

Voters of the First Congressional District are stroking their beards if they are the patriarchal kind, these days over the announcement that a woman is out in this district for the job in Congress now held by Clarence F. Lea. The old school is visibly shocked. The younger generation of voters, men sans whiskers and women who never grow old, are sitting up and taking notice of the innovation proposed by Butte county which seeks to emulate Montana and its representative at Washington, Miss Jeanette Rankin.

We do not know what kind of a predecessor Miss Rankin had but we do know a lot about the man the Butte county lady would like to beat. If Mrs. Hughes, who announces herself contender for Congressman Clarence F. Lea's place at the National Capitol, wants to run for the exercise, she has our best wishes but it will take a good man to beat Lea. By a woman "it can't be did" and that with no discourtesy to the woman for ordinarily a woman has every right to have a voice in national affairs, and of course she does in California where she has the ballot and uses it to express her opinion as to whom should represent her in Washington. A woman may be an invaluable factor in counseling her colleagues on vital questions wherein woman's welfare is effected and even though she may shed a few tears as did Miss Rankin at the memorable declaration of war, it is not a whit against her mentality for great men and good men have been known to weep at critical moments and men jurors are much given to tears wrung from their unwilling eyes by attorneys of great and small courts. A woman of finer feelings and emotion might be swept off her feet at times and yet be the very leaven a congress needs. She might apply the humanizing element necessary to conciliating the commercial and industrial life of the nation and attain law a little closer to justice. The day will come when women will be very necessary and important elements in the highest places of the land, first of all in the halls of Congress where sit representatives of the whole United States, but that time is not yet and should California at this time follow Montana we would weaken our representation and California is a state which needs strong representation not simply advertising.

For promotion purposes the choice of a Congresswoman would be "good stuff" and from what we hear of Mrs. Hughes' attainments she would be a credit to California women voters but we cannot afford to trot out a sample of our feminine intellect and citizenship, proud as we are of it, in these hours of national exigency.

It is a man's work this job at Washington right now and there are countless places out of politics where women can be of greatest service. If her ambitions are such that she looks to a seat in Congress let it be when the trappings of war are thrown off and the planet Mars is not in ascendency. Women have all the elements of great service which they can give to their beloved country but they are still new at the political game and in the ruthless period of war let them turn their hands to other things than national politics. God knows women are destined for greater duties right now. When the period of economic adjustment begins succeeding the war, the woman's voice should be heard and will counsel with lawmakers of the land for the betterment of all humanity. As a congresswoman Mrs. Hughes might be a Butte but the choice of a congressman is what should concern us now.

The Red Cross Drive

If you have been giving all your life to worthy causes, and hearkened to the voice of humanity urging you to try and alleviate a little hardship in the world you can now make the supreme effort and aid in the Red Cross drive. They are speeding up all the good impulses in this broad land to keep pace with suffering and hardship at the battle front which hourly is taking its toll and if you know the joy of aiding in charitable work you will now enter into this biggest drive and make your plea to your friends and neighbors who perchance may still be thinking as to what is expected of them in the colossal task.

Do not forget the smokers for the soldiers. The tobacco fund is still to grow and now that individuals cannot send packages to the boys without written authority, the "Our Boys in France Tobacco Fund Campaign" is invaluable. Send in your contribution today.

Give to the Red Cross what your means will permit. Give all you can.

MORE ABOUT RURAL FIRE PROTECTION IN SONOMA COUNTY

The rural communities and farmers of Sonoma county are probably more delinquent in the matter of fire protection than in any other question of public policy. There is no reason why the man living in the country should be any less entitled to fire protection than his city brother. The subject of rural fire protection is a particularly important one at the present time and will remain so at least while we are at war. In addition to the ever present normal risks there is the very real one of the discontented element in the population and that of the active enemy agent.

California's three chief war industries are (1) grain production, food for man; (2) forage production, food for animals; (3) timber production, for the shipment of food, munitions and supplies and in the manufacture of aeroplanes and ships, etc. The fire menace of each of these three industries is particularly great and has been recognized by the California counties, our neighboring county ordinances.

county of Napa being one of the latest to organize a rural fire protection force. In Sonoma county the importance of the question has been recognized by the Farm Bureau and during the present month the matter is being presented to the rural public by means of illustrated lectures at the various farm centers. The slides shown cause us to realize something of the importance of the menace and also show how 75 per cent of the grain and hay fire risks may be eliminated and how through a proper system of fire fighting and prevention a large portion of the other fire risks may be cut down, and how little fires may be prevented from growing up. The slides have already been shown at Windsor, Kellogg, Kenwood, Cloverdale, Alexander Valley, Guerneville and here in Sonoma yesterday.

The farmer will get the protection to which he is entitled just as soon as he asks for it. In general the existing laws are good. What is lacking is a well defined public sentiment for them and the enforcement of proper additions and amendments to fit rural conditions through

LEA SAYS LET PEOPLE RULE

National Prohibition Should Not Be Decided By Legislature

This is my reply to your request for a statement of my views as to the proper method of the state acting on the National Prohibition Amendment.

The question should be decided by a vote of the people of the state. That method conforms to the modern idea of our political life, that the people should be given the freest opportunity to co-operate in legislation and particularly in those matters in which they manifest great interest.

To object to the people expressing their will upon a subject of this importance would be out of harmony with our time. To attempt to defeat the will of the people when so expressed would be outrageous.

It is extremely undesirable that the bitterness and controversies attending liquor agitation should be injected into the politics of a state in electing members of the legislature. To select a man for the legislature solely because he would pledge himself to cast one vote for or against prohibition and the vote requiring neither brains, virtue nor any qualification for the legislature, would be deplorable.

No other question presented in this country since the Civil War has excited more bitterness than the liquor question. To avoid such domestic strife is now unfortunately impossible. We can avoid accentuating its bitterness by refusing to intermingle it with personal politics.

The question of Federal prohibition is one of great national policy. Its solution should be kept free from personal politics. There is neither necessity nor justification for its solution being mixed with personal politics in California. There is no reason why the legislative candidates in California and all over the nation should be importuned, harassed, vilified, abused and slandered in order to settle this question of national policy. The way is open for the people to decide the question independent of personalities, by referring the question to a binding referendum of the voters of the state.

California now has an opportunity to do a good service to popular government in this country. She is deeply concerned in this question. She is one of the great states of the Union. If she would adopt a binding referendum, the common sense and justice of her course would so appeal to the country that her example would probably be followed by other states where the decision of the question is in controversy.

Action of the Federal amendment by the legislature of California, favorable or unfavorable, would be bitterly resented and denounced. The question is such that there is but one tribunal by which it can be determined and whose decision can not be questioned by any man—and that is the voters of the state.

It is undesirable that a reference of this question to the people should be postponed until the legislature meets. If a referendum to the people is then asked those interested could legitimately protest against the delay that such a course would involve. Therefore, in my judgement, an initiative law should be submitted to the voters at the November election, giving the people a square opportunity to vote "for national prohibition" or "against national prohibition," at that time. I believe also that a companion measure should be submitted at the same time, making the vote of the people upon national prohibition binding upon every member of the legislature and providing that any member who refuses to abide by the vote of the people of the state on that question should be subject to removal from office or other suitable penalties. This method will secure:

(1) An early decision of the matter.
(2) The elimination of personal political considerations from the question.

ON DECORATION DAY PROGRAM

Mme Jules Clerfayt to Speak On Belgium at Sonoma's Memorial Exercises

The program for the Decoration Day exercises being arranged by the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club will be augmented by a splendid address on "Belgium of the Past and Present" by Madame Jules Clerfayt whose husband was prior to his death, Belgian Consul in San Francisco. The speaker has travelled widely in the stricken country and her appeal on behalf of the suffering people of that section of the world is said to be a wonderfully strong one. The lecture is illustrated with over 100 stereopticon views including scenes taken on the battlefields of Belgium. These latter views are wonderfully interesting and were presented to Mme. Clerfayt by the Anzac soldiers, recently lecturing in San Francisco, among them the now famous blind poet, Skeyill, whose sight is said to have been restored recently, and Sergeant Kearney.

The lecture with the accompanying pictures is being given before the soldiers of the different cantonments and it is a decided treat and splendid opportunity Sonoma people will have to attend the exercises and help the great work of Belgian relief. There will be no admission but a silver offering will be taken after the lecture. Aside from the Belgian feature, tribute will be paid the heroes of our own United States of the past and present. Songs and patriotic speaking with a prayer for those making the supreme sacrifice will be features of Sonoma's memorial program on the 30th.

GREET RETURN OF RELATIVES FROM FRANCE

Mr. and Mrs. A. Froment and daughters went to San Francisco Monday to greet their brother-in-law, Monsieur A. Legallet and his wife who have been in France for the last two years. Legallet is president of the French-American Bank of San Francisco and his 24 year old son is fighting under the colors "over there."

The Legallets went through several air raids in Paris, once when they were in the theatre, and while crossing the ocean went through the usual drill requirements for submarine defense. They were assigned to life boats and Madame Legallet created much merriment by telling her Sonoma relatives that she felt quite safe when she heard her boat was No. 1, the captains boat, but quite disconcerted when some days later was reminded that the captain was always the last to leave his ship. Their trip however was uneventful except for a warning by wireless that a submarine had been sighted some distance away.

The Legallets declare that the American troops are the heroes of the hour in France and that the French people cannot do enough for them.

They are much encouraged at the outlook and sanguine of the victory to be won by the allies.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gray, formerly of the Weehickia Colony, were presented with a baby girl in San Francisco last Tuesday. They expect to return here later in the summer.

It is reported that Wm. Helberg Jr., has rented a pretty home in the Schellville Colony from Mr. Beard and that the newly-weds are to reside there.

Henry Koerner of Oak Grove spent Sunday in San Francisco.

(3) A decision by the only means that will secure universal respect.
(4) Recognition of the right of the people to settle this question for themselves.

I know of no commendable reason that either the "wets" or "drys" can urge against this method of disposing of this question.

BEN BORDSON'S FERRY COMPANY

The piledriver crew and outfit arrived at South Vallejo last week from the Black Point cutoff and will begin driving piles for the new slip at Lemon street wharf for the Vallejo-Rodeo Ferry Company before the week is over. According to present arrangements, the slip will be finished by the middle of the month and the crew will then be moved to Rodeo, where the other landing place for the steamer Issaquah will be installed. The announcement that the piledriver is on the job at the south end will be received with delight by local residents and especially motorists who are anxious to drive to Oakland via Rodeo, and it also goes to prove that the Vallejo-Rodeo Ferry Company means business and that this city will soon enjoy a first-class ferry service to and from Contra Costa county.—Vallejo News.

This is the company of which Ben Bordson is secretary.

CHERRY GROWERS IN SESSION

The meeting of the cherry growers of Napa county which was held Monday evening at the Court House was very well attended, there being 18 growers present. Assistant Farm Adviser Wood presided at the meeting.

After a thorough discussion upon the labor available, the kind of pickers to be used and the relative prices to be paid, it was decided that all cherry men should pay by the hour at the rate of 30c, the same price to be paid to men, women and High School students. A price of 15c per box will be the rate for packing. All growers were urged to obtain the crew used last year if possible and other labor available; and then report any shortage to the Labor Committee of the Farm Bureau at the office of the Farm Adviser so that this committee could try and obtain enough to meet this shortage from other sources. Any extra pickers or shortage during the picking season should also be referred to this committee in order that it might act as a clearing house.

Cherry picking in Sonoma Valley has scarcely begun. The weather is poor for ripening. Lowell brothers shipped two boxes last week and have done some packing this week.

Mrs. Lulu Emparan has returned from a delightful trip to St. Helena and Napa. Her visit to the former place was given over to many social affairs in her honor but in Napa she enjoyed a quiet week but a delightful reminiscence one with her cousin, Ignacio Vallejo.

Mrs. Agnes Ryland came up to her country home here Monday after a delightful sojourn in Southern California where she met many old time acquaintances, among them Vernon Goodwin, former Sonoma teacher but now a prominent and wealthy resident of the South.

Mrs. S. J. Erasmus spent Saturday and Sunday in Berkeley where she was the guest of old friends.

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LOCAL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. A. Maffei baptized their little daughter, Helen, at St. Francis church last Sunday. A family reunion and dinner followed the happy event.

Fred Hovey, former popular mixologist, has been in town the past week from San Francisco where he has been employed in the IXL tamale factory as a shipping clerk.

Mrs. Ed. Johannsen and daughter, Miss Gertrude, spent Monday shopping in San Francisco.

Henry Bates transacted business in San Francisco Monday morning and in the afternoon accompanied his daughter, Nancy, to the Orpheum where they enjoyed Ruth St. Denis and other good features of the bill.

Frank Koenig, accompanied by his wife, came home Saturday last from Southern California where he went for radium treatment under the advice of his physician, Dr. W. B. Hays. Mrs. Koenig reports her husband getting along splendidly. She contradicted the report current in Santa Rosa that his condition was critical and his homecoming following the account in the Santa Rosa "Republican" caused much relief among his Sonoma friends.

Mrs. Gladys Groom, accompanied Mrs. Cyrus Olin (Nancy Bates) home Sunday to San Francisco remaining over until Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peterson and little one are to return to Richmond Tuesday after a pleasant vacation here with relatives. Mr. Peterson and his brother, Walter, both have fine positions with the Standard Oil Co.

Mrs. Edna Poppe Cooper, who has been in rather delicate health since her return from San Diego, has been in a Santa Rosa hospital.

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LEFT FOR CAMP GRANT TO VISIT HUSBAND

Mrs. Marjorie Buchan-Fisk, daughter of Mrs. Buchan of this place, left for Camp Grant this week to make a visit to her husband, Arthur Fisk of the Engineers, who may shortly leave for France.

Mr. Fiske was a railroad engineer when he enlisted and the family broke up their little home in Watsonville, the wife and baby coming to Sonoma and the soldier boy husband going at once to Camp Grant, Illinois.

When it began to look as though he would be ordered to the front shortly, Mrs. Fisk decided that she would cross the continent and see him once more before his departure. She applied for a pass and word was received that transportation would be provided but as time went on and the pass did not come, she at last made up her mind to go anyhow. She therefore went to San Francisco Monday and after spending the night with her friend, Miss Gertrude Caldwell, departed for the Middle West Tuesday at noon. She wired Mr. Fisk of her coming and should have arrived yesterday. On her way home she may visit Iowa relatives.

Mrs. Arthur Fisk is one of Sonoma's most patriotic young women and sold over \$2000 worth of Liberty Bonds during the last drive.

Mrs. Bolin has returned home from the French hospital but is still quite weak. Her daughter, Miss Anna, is proving a fine nurse, giving her mother the most devoted care.

Mrs. Wm. Von Hacht was over from Vallejo the first of the week. Mrs. Von Hacht recently recovered from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. Peter Rubendall is visiting Mrs. Mary L. Carter. Mrs. Rubendall's son, Ward, is a First Lieutenant in the Coast Artillery stationed at Ft. Barry. They were neighbors of Mrs. Carter back east.

RICHMOND-SAN RAFAEL FERRY TIME TABLE

Effective Saturday, April 6.
LEAVE POINT RICHMOND—Daily
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a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:00 p. m.
Sundays—7:30, 9:00, 10:30, a. m.
12:00, 2:00, 3:30, 5:00, 6:30, 8:00 p. m.
LEAVE POINT SAN QUENTIN—
Daily (except Sunday) 8:15, 10:15
a. m., 12:15, 2:15, 4:15, 6:15, 7:45
p. m. Sundays—8:15, 9:45, 11:15
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FREE MARKET AND AUCTION

Red Cross Appoints Mrs. Murray to Head Big Benefit Day

Hereafter on the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month the fire bell in Sonoma's city hall will ring out a clarion call to every patriotic citizen, a call to come to the Red Cross meeting in our grammar school and help in putting out the conflagration raging so fiercely around our boys "over there." No longer can any of the town's folks claim forgetfulness for when you hear the fire bell ring it will mean a call to you to "come and help."

A very successful manner for raising money for the Red Cross has been found in the Chain Teas, now so popular all over the country. Our local Branch has granted the necessary permit and soon Sonoma ladies will be receiving invitations to these very select functions, an acceptance to which carries with it an obligation to pay 25 cents and to give in the near future a similar tea to four other ladies. Any reasonable form of entertainment is permitted but the refreshments served must be of the simplest—strictly Hooverized. The money thus collected shall be given to the Red Cross. A democratic feature of these teas is that each hostess shall invite four ladies from different localities of the town or valley and from different social cliques thus spreading the idea as widely as possible.

The Petaluma Chapter has recently raised \$1000.00 through a market sale and auction. The Sonoma Branch has appointed Mrs. J. Murray chairman of a committee to arrange for an auction in this place. This will surely be a big success and a material help in raising Sonoma's quota in the coming drive.

The following have recently joined the Branch or paid dues for the coming year:

Mesdames S. E. Campbell, Froesch, Trappert, Appleton, Whitmore, J. Koechler, P. Leiser, Stofen, Sherman, Durant, McElney, Hotz, Erazmus, W. Miller, B. F. Campbell, Hiser, L. H. Johnson, A. Wyatt, M. Watts, O. Wilkenson, F. Bornhoff, N. A. Neilson, P. Hansen, R. J. Dowdall, C. H. Ellis, S. V. Kelsey, C. Niber.

Misses E. Young, M. Coleman, A. Dal Poggetto, M. Stofen, J. Cooper, L. Hansen.

Messrs H. C. Lutgens, J. L. MacQuiddy, O. H. Rutermundi, R. Abele, J. McElney, G. H. Hotz, J. Tate, W. J. Hiser, H. Hiser, H. Norrbom, S. Breitenbach, R. J. Dowdall, A. R. Gale, C. Asquistapace.

The following names were enrolled by Mrs. T. H. Baines of El Verano: Mrs. F. LaFranchi, P. La Franchi, Mrs. J. Revie, J. Revie, Mrs. G. Bruns, Mrs. E. Pillastre.

The following donations have been received: Mrs. Julia Burris, \$50; Daughters of Pocahontas, \$5; A friend, \$5; Mrs. Sherman, \$4.

Is Assistance Needed?

The home service committee of the Red Cross asks that any one in need of financial aid especially those having near relatives in the army or navy, will apply to their neighborhood members of the committee which consists of Mrs. L. Green, chairman, Mrs. N. Heggie, Mrs. F. Schell, Mrs. S. J. Erazmus, Mrs. A. M. Thomson, Mrs. C. E. Johnson and M. Burchard.

Report of Junior Red Cross Activities of Sonoma Grammar School

During the first month of their organization the Junior Red Cross has completed and shipped 8 flannel petticoats, (Belgian refugee garments), 2 knitted helmets, 2 pair of socks.

A French war orphan has been adopted for two years. The payments for April and May have been met and a sufficient amount is in reserve to meet all payments in vacation.

The children of the school have bought thrift stamps and war saving stamps from their teachers to the amount of \$135.50.

Sonoma Grammar School, per Edna D. Cooper.

THERE AINT NO SUCH ANIMAL

A Rural Mail Carrier
Why there aint no
Such Animal
At least that's what
Postmaster John
Thinks
Stickel stuck
And George did it
Until he went
To the war
But now patrons
Are singing
Bring Back
Bring Back
Bring Back
My Sweet George to Me
And it looks
As though
As long as they exempt
Soldiers so they can
Serve the Feeble Minded
They might exempt George
To serve the Strong Minded
Women on the route
And patrons in general
All using strong language
Since their mail boxes
Bid fair to become
Good bird nests
For nary a letter
Gossin
Jumped the job
For he didn't like
The game
A bit
And quit

And 'ugh Noe
He did too
Hugh Noe
Was the new
Man who
Was to show
Up last week
But he weakened
As soon as he
Heard about
The route
Postmaster John
Says he never
yet thought
Noe meant
Yes
Unless coming
From a woman
Then came
Albert Walker
Candidate for the job
From Windsor
Walker was
A good name for him
He walked right in
Turned around
And walked right
Out again
Our postmaster
Has been keeping
The wires
Hot trying to
Get a new civil
Service
Gink
But he says unless
They are more
Civil pretty soon
He is going
To consult

A fortune teller
Or
Crystal gazer
And if that don't
Work
An alienist
Postmaster John
Is a good hunter
And we believe
He will find one
Of those rare
Specimens
A Rural Mail Carrier
Yet
So have a heart
Folks
The service is up in the
Air just now
But remember
No bird ere flew
So high
That it didn't
Have to light
So be patient
And John
Will Thank You
P. S. Oh joy
And now comes
Temple Wrightman
The latest
Truly rural
Let us pray
At the Temple
That he is
The Right Man

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vella returned from their wedding trip Sunday evening and have gone housekeeping in one of Mrs. Small's apartments. They had a fine trip north returning on the steamer Beaver.

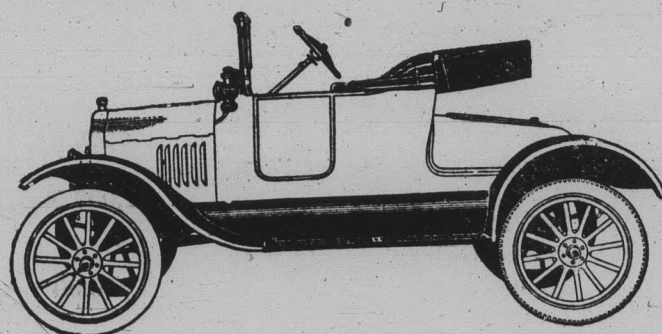
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He recently passed all examinations in San Francisco both physical and medical and now awaits his commission from Washington, D. C. He was appointed some time ago to recruit the doctors of Sonoma county and through his efforts Doctors Anderson, Peoples and O'Brien of Petaluma enlisted and Doctors Temple and Hamlin of Santa Rosa.

Dr. Thomson was in the army during the Spanish-American war and was a contract physician in the U. S. transport service.

Don Theatre PARAMOUNT AND ARTCRAFT PICTURES

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Tonight, Saturday, May 18—"Who is Number One?" mystery serial, featuring Kathleen Clifford in "Flight of the Fury," in 2 parts. Mack Sennett Comedy, "Are Watercresses Safe," in 2 parts.

Sunday, May 19—Jesse L. Lasky presents Wallace Reid in "The Hostage," by Beulah Marie Dix. A Paramount Star Feature Drama in 5 parts.

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Miss Dorothy Dobbel, accompanied by her mother and grandmother, made the trip to San Francisco Tuesday last.

Mrs. Yenni is ill at the Gobar sanitarium.

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EL VERANO

Miss Stella Magill visited her sister in Oakland last week.

Mrs. Dutil returned from San Francisco the latter part of the week.

Henry Peters has sold his place to parties from Petaluma. They expect to make many improvements.

Emmet Danielli returned Sunday evening from the hospital.

The stork visited the E. Pattini (nee Bingham) home above Glen Ellen Friday evening last and left a tiny baby girl. The beneficent bird also called at the Gobar sanitarium where a 9 lb son was born to Mrs. Williams (nee Segar) last Saturday. Dr. Gobar was in attendance on both cases.

Dr. Gobar was called to Santa Rosa Tuesday in consultation with Doctors Lane and Scammell.

Among those who enjoyed "Oh Boy" at the Clime theatre Wednesday evening were Misses Shofner, Edna Cooper and Messrs Coates and Gottenberg; Messrs Goodman, M. Springer, Mrs. Paul and Roy Paul, Mrs. Gladys Groom, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Murphy and Dal Emparan, Granville Harris Jr., and other folks.

BOYES SPRINGS

THEATRE

PARAMOUNT-ARTCRAFT
PICTURES

Saturday, May 18,
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"A SUNSET TRAIL"

A Paramount
Sunday, May 19,
Marguerite Clark in
"BAB'S DIARY"

A Paramount
Monday, May 20,
Billie Burke in
"ARMS AND THE GIRL"

A Paramount
Tuesday, May 21,
Jack Pickford and Louise Huff in
"THE GHOST HOUSE"

A Paramount
Wednesday, May 22,
Douglas Fairbanks in
"THE MAN FROM PAINTED POST"

An Artercraft
Thursday, May 23,
Julian Eltinge in
"THE COUNTESS CHARMING"

A Paramount
Friday, May 24,
Vivian Martin in
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VINEBURG

Louis Roque is getting along fine and says it will be but a short time when he will be able to rejoin Uncle Sam's boys at Vallejo. That is the right way to talk, Louis.

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. Enrico Forni accompanied by her four charming daughters, the Misses Helen, Florence, Dolores and Leola, motored to Napa where they enjoyed a very pleasant day.

Messrs Norman J. Heggie, Fred Batto and "Buddy" motored up the coast Saturday afternoon as far as Stewart's Point. Enroute they visited Skaggs Springs. Sunday they visited Annapolis, the famous apple section, Cazadero, Fort Ross and Guerneville.

Julius Pochetti Jr., of the Bear Flag Garage and one of the most enterprising young business men of Sonoma, accompanied by Chas. Kelly, of the Sonoma Feed Co., transacted business in Vineburg last Sunday afternoon. Julius's motto is "lift up a machine when it's down," and he does it.

Mrs. August Figone and daughter, Rosalie, of San Francisco were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Batto.

Cherry picking will start in John Coop's orchard next week.

BROTHER-IN-LAW IS KILLED IN WAR

Thos. Lewis, the surveyor and civil engineer, received a cablegram Wednesday bringing the sad news that his brother-in-law, H. C. Rowland, of the 5th Army of Engineers, had succumbed to wounds received in the war at St. Quentin. He was wounded severely on March 22nd. Rowland volunteered in the English army in 1914 and leaves a wife and a child. Deceased was a graduate of the University of California. His wife, who is Mr. Lewis' sister, has been making her home in England for several years past.

The Ed Dowdells, of Alameda visited here last Sunday.

Al Warriner is going to work at the Navy Yard, Mare Island.

Miss Jessie Hiser was the representative of Verdant Degree Rebekahs at the Grand Lodge in San Francisco this week.

Mrs. Z. Lane and daughter left for the north this week and will join Mr. Lane at the lumber camp. Mrs. Maud Hamilton will be caretaker of the Lane place during the absence of the owners.

BOYES SPRINGS NOTES

The benefit for the Boyes Springs Fire Department has been postponed until some time in June. The Boyes Springs Improvement Club thought it best to postpone the benefit as it would be more of a financial success later on when the crowds are here.

Boyes Park is now completed with the palms, plants and grass all growing fine. The Park is to Boyes what Golden Gate Park is to San Francisco. Park Commissioner J. Baiges is going to erect a flag pole soon and Old Glory will be flying at Boyes Park.

Our next sheriff, Joe Ryan has finished his new lively stable and he is now ready for business with the best of rigs and horses. Nuf sed.

Steve's new restaurant is also nearly completed and will be ready for business about June 1st.

Our "Mayor" is kept quite busy these days cutting the grass around his own and other cottages as safe guard against grass fires. It would be well for some of the younger folks to emulate the "Mayor's" example.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Koenig have returned from the city and having retired from business they will lead a quiet life in their cottage here and enjoy the rest they so richly deserve.

Dr. and Mrs. Hall arrived last Sunday and will spend a few weeks at their summer home here at Boyes Hotel grounds. The "Lumber King" is all smiles. Reason: Business is good.

Summer visitors are coming in very fast many of the cottages around Boyes being already occupied. At the Boyes hotel there about fifty guests. The theatre and the baths are well patronized.

Mrs. L. Roach, who is still confined to her home here is certainly doing her bit for the boys "over there." She has already knitted twenty-five sweaters since February.

Charles (Fatty) Fengers of Vallejo is now associated with "Sergeant" Hodson at the Boyes Clubhouse. When it comes to making a little "old man" Fatty is right there. The two Fats will welcome their many friends. Vallejoites take notice.

Mrs. Tighe of the St. Dunstan Apartments of San Francisco is living here in one of the Koenig cottages.

"Spaggonio" Kirby, the boy wonder, is kept quite busy at his place of business, "The Oaks."

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kelly came up for a few days to visit Jack's sister, Miss Kelly. Jack has about recovered from the accident he met with at San Luis Obispo when his auto overturned. Miss Kelly has had her attractive bungalow painted white.

Elmer Owens, the former "Beau Brummel" of Boyes but now at Cabano's resort, calls occasionally to give his old friend "Col Brady" the O. O.

The Stevens are meeting with great success at Bishop's theatre in Oakland.

Carl Poppe writes from San Diego that he is enjoying life in the navy. He enlisted as a machinist.

Harold Hotz of Moore & Watson, San Francisco wholesalers, is home on a ten day's vacation.

Mrs. Wm. Wyatt, daughter of Mrs. A. Plastre, is improving after a critical illness.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of A. C. Thiele, also known as Charles Alexander Thiele, Deceased:

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, C. F. Thiele, the executor of the will and estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice in the said executor at the law office of Robert A. Poppe, on the east side of the Plaza, in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

C. F. THIELE, Executor of the will and estate of A. C. Thiele, also known as Charles Alexander Thiele, deceased.

Dated at Sonoma, Cal., May 18th, 1918.

Robert A. Poppe, attorney for estate.

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SHELLVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sheridan of San Francisco spent Friday at the Tony Keiser home.

Mr. and Miteski of San Francisco spent the latter part of the week with the Jake Schumachers. All enjoyed trips to Petaluma, Santa Rosa and Napa during the visit.

T. Cone of Vallejo spent Sunday with Mrs. Cone.

Tony Keiser and family motored to Napa and vicinity last Sunday.

Mrs. C. Jessen and E. Bennett left Saturday for a brief visit to Vallejo.

Charlie Potter is in the dairy business again, at present milking 67 cows. He has installed a milking machine which milks 35 cows an hour.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Millerick, son Tom and their guest, Mae Watt of Oakland, motored to Pt. Reyes Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Daly of San Francisco motored to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Keiser Monday for a few day's vacation.

M. F. Crandall, formerly of the old Marti ranch, died suddenly May 8 at his home in the Mission district, San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Curry of San Francisco have been enjoying calls from friends in this district. Mr. and Mrs. Curry have taken over the management of the Pierce apartments, which extend half a block on each side of the street. There are 104 apartments and 22 flats, all furnished with steam heat, hot water and janitor service. Mrs. Curry acts as bookkeeper for the apartments.

Mrs. L. Semino is planning a delightful day Sunday the occasion being Mrs. Semino's birthday.

Mrs. T. Cone and Mrs. J. Keiser drove to Petaluma Wednesday week.

NEW PROPRIETOR FOR EL VERANO RESORT

L. Larbre has sold his St. Francis Villa resort at El Verano to Chris Ganiate, former Palace Hotel waiter. Mr. Ganiate and wife will run the popular resort. It was a cash sale.

OUR DEWEY SMITH MUCH ALIVE

The following letter sets at rest the uneasiness felt by friends of the C. J. Smiths of this place that their son, Dewey, had been killed or fatally injured in the war. Frequent similarity of names as in the case of Ray Cooper injured some time ago in France give rise to disquieting rumors.

Smith writes home this:
Enuclaw, Wash., April 29, 1918

Dear Folks:-

Just a few lines to let you know that I received two letters from you today, one coming through Vancouver and the other coming direct to the soldier camp. It was rather funny that the people around home thought that I was in France wounded. The name hits pretty close to mine and as you say next year there will be a lot of Deweys. Well I am still alive and not even scratched. It is a funny old world after all.

I have not worked in the woods yet as we are fixing up camp. We are putting up a hall where we can have people come from town and we will give dances and other kinds of affairs. The hall is to be 100x40 so you see it will be large enough. It is being built of logs.

It is pretty quiet around here just now. There is a forest fire close and it keeps the mountain lions stirred up. We hear them screaming during the night and it sounds like a woman getting killed. The first time I heard them it made my blood run cold. We have a meat cage about 200 feet from our tents and this morning I saw bear tracks near it. I suppose we will wake up some morning and find no meat for breakfast. The fellows under guard are not really I. W. W.s as they never have refused to work. They are all waiting for a general court marshal which in civilian life means a trial.

Love to all,

DEWEY

Miss Arvilla Cordill has been visiting Mrs. Kellar at Napa.

Archie Revie may succeed Manager Trowbridge of the California Telephone & Light Co.

Mrs. Lampe of San Francisco, an old friend of Mrs. Burmester, is making a pleasant visit at El Verano.

Charter No. 10,259. Reserve District No. 12

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank of Sonoma

AT SONOMA, IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MAY 10th, 1918.

RESOURCES.

1. a Loans and discounts (except those shown in b and c)	\$128,802.71	\$128,802.71
5. U. S. bonds (other than Liberty Bonds, but including U. S. certificates of indebtedness):		
a U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	\$20,000.00	
d U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness pledged as collateral for State or other deposits or bills payable	\$1,600.00	\$21,600.00
6. Liberty loan bonds:		
a Liberty Loan Bonds, 3½ per cent and 4 per cent, unpledged	\$3,500.00	
d Liberty Loan Bonds, 3½ per cent and 4 per cent, pledged to secure State or other deposits or bills payable	\$500.00	
e Payments actually made on Liberty 4¼ per cent Bonds	\$1,000.00	\$5,000.00
7. Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S.):		
b Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits	\$2,056.00	
c Bonds and securities pledged as collateral for State, or other deposits (postal excluded) or bills payable	\$13,616.00	
e Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	\$10,963.53	
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.		\$26,635.53
9. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		\$850.00
11. Furniture and fixtures		\$5,499.50
13. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		\$8,300.00
15. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		\$37,117.40
18. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 17)		\$117.00
Total of Items 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18	\$97,234.63	
20. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		\$1,000.00
TOTAL		\$224,029.24